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SUBJ: MBFR: DATA STUDIES

REF: A) USNATO 808; B) USNATO 685

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SPC MANDATEON DUTCH PAPER (REF A), WG
TAFF IS NOW PREPAREING BRIEF OUTLINE ON WHICH DATA, IF ANY, AGREEMENT IS ESSENTIAL WITH THE OTHER SIDE IN ELATION TO VAROUS
ELEMENTS OF THE PRESENT ALLIED POSITION. ACTING WG CHAIRMAN PLANS
TO PROCEED AT DELIBERATE PACE. HE WILL CIRCULATE OUTLINE FOR
PERSONAL COMMENT OF WG REPS IN EARLY MARCH AND PUT FORWARD

FIRST DRAFT OF PAPER PERHAPS AT MARCH 11 WG MEEETING.

2. A FEW WG REPS HAVE SUGESTED WG ISSUE AS AN APPROVED DOCUMENT
AC/276-WP(75)5, A ONE PAGE TABLE PROVIDING NATO AND WP GROSS
NATIONAL AIR AND GROUND FORCE FIGURES, SUING END 1974 GFIGURES

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FOR NATO AND MID-1974 (MCM-86-74) FOR WP. TIS ACTION WOULD SIMPLY
GIVE PAPER FORMAL STATUS AS AGREED DOCUMENT SO WG CAN CITE ITS
FIGURES IN OTHER APPROVED PAPERS. ACTION REQUESTED:
BY MARCH 4, AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT AC/276-WP(75)5 (POUCHED

6 FEB, STATE REG. NUMBER 750107).

3. ABSENCE OF AGREEMENT ON CERTAIN NSWP DATA HAS HELD UP
PUBLICATION OF OFFICIAL END 1973 VERSION OF "BLUE BOOK".
SGTA CHAIRMAN BRANSON HAD INFORMED WG MEMBERS THAT INSTEAD OF
PUTTING OUT END 1973 VERSION AT THIS LATE STAGE, HE WANTS TO
PRESS AHEAD WITH END 174 BLUE BOOK WHICH HE HOPES TO COMPLETE
BY MAY 1975.MCAULIFFE

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